



## Dysphagia Supports for School Based SLPs

### Lead SLPs Reporting Dysphagia or Feeding Teams

The following Lead SLPs for the listed LEAs have reported that they have teams, documents, or supports for Feeding or Dysphagia cases. In addition to the LEA documents, SLP are reminded that the VDOE's Speech Language Pathology Services in Schools: Guidelines for Best Practice also contains sample forms and information.

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### VDOE Supported Free Online Training

VDOE's TTAC Online website provides four free online modules that focus on dysphagia. Specific information and links for each module are listed below.

**Webshop Title:** [Dysphagia in the Schools: An Introduction for SLPs](#)

**Description:** This tutorial will provide a basic overview of how school-aged children typically swallow, and briefly discuss what can go wrong. Included in this tutorial are the following topics: Normal Swallowing Anatomy Normal Development Typical Swallow What Can go Wrong with the Swallow Possible Abnormalities of a Swallow HOT Topics – Why this Information is Important to me as a SLP in the School Setting

**Webshop Title:** [Dysphagia in the Schools: Screening by Speech-Language Pathologists \(Part 2\)](#)

**Description:** This tutorial, second in a series, provides basic information about dysphagia screening in the schools. If you have not done the Part 1 tutorial, please complete Part 1 as it provides the foundation for Part 2. Part 1 is titled, Dysphagia in the Schools: An Introduction for SLPs.

**Webshop Title:** [Dysphagia in the Schools: Case Management by Speech-Language Pathologists \(Part 3\)](#)

**Description:** This tutorial is the third in a series and provides basic information about dysphagia case management in the schools. If you have not done Part 1 and Part 2 tutorials, please complete them first, as they provide the foundation for Part 3. Please go back and complete Part I (Dysphagia in the Schools: An Introduction for SLPs) and Part II (Dysphagia in the Schools: Screening by Speech-Language Pathologists) if you haven't already:

**Webshop Title:** [Dysphagia in the Schools: Management Decisions Based on Assessment Reports \(Part 4\)](#)

**Description:** This tutorial, fourth in a series, provides basic information about dysphagia intervention program considerations in the school. If you have not done Part 1, Part 2 and Part 3 tutorials, please complete them first, as they provide the foundation for Part 4.